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THE beauty about the new tariff law is that the longer it is in operation the less talk there is of a return to McKinleyism.

THE street paving movement should be kept to the front until every thoroughfare in the Queen City is improved.

SEDALIANS have read with pleasure of the proposed sale, reorganization and development of the Santa Fe railroad. In all probability this means a new trunk line for this city.

THOUSANDS of Sedalians are now figuring on the probable number of advertisements that will appear in the DEMOCRAT of Sunday, September 8th. Those prizes are worth striving for and it costs nothing to try for them.

IF the republican party really wishes to be wiped off of the political checker-board, all it has to do is to proclaim its intention to repeal the existing tariff laws and re-enact the McKinley bill. Such a proclamation would in a measure retard the prosperity of the country, but it would effectually dispose of the republican party.

THE advertisements in the DEMOCRAT will themselves repay the closest study. No matter what is wanted, if it is on sale in Sedalia, it will probably be found advertised in the DEMOCRAT. And then a prize awaits the lady or gentleman, girl or boy, who makes the best estimate of the number of advertisements that will appear in the DEMOCRAT on Sunday, September 8th.

NEVADA was the first town in Missouri to dispose of a public franchise under the operation of the Julian law. The franchise was for an electric light and street railroad and the company will pay the city 2½ per cent. of its gross receipts. Work will begin at once and the taxpayers will have their burdens relieved by the amount which the company will pay for the use of the streets.

THE esteemed Gazette is even willing to see the thoroughfares "paved with silver." We gladly welcome our republican contemporary as a co-laborer in the good roads movements, but we believe that there is a better use for silver. Instead of using it to "pave the thoroughfares," let it be restored to its place as a money metal and use it along with gold to pave the pockets of the people. The prosperity of the masses is the glory, the strength, the perpetuity of our institutions, and that prosperity is not conserved by chaining the world down to the constantly augmenting gold standard.

No man who sees the fertile fields of Pettis and adjoining counties filled with ripening corn, or the green pastures containing herds of fat stock, or the orchards with their trees bending beneath the weight of luscious fruit, can doubt that "good times" are knocking at our doors. All this wealth means plenty for everybody. It means brisk business for the farmer, the merchant, the mechanic and the professional man. It means more money in circulation. It means the payment of old debts and the inauguration of improvements and new enterprises that have waited for renewed confidence and better feeling.

It is confessions like the following from the Globe-Democrat which emphatically disprove the assertions made by the calamity howlers last fall to deceive the people: "Bradstreet's returns from 145 railroads reveal a gain of 3.6 per cent. in the gross earnings of those lines in the first six months of 1895 over those

of the corresponding time in 1894. This is very encouraging intelligence, and the next six months' figures are likely to be better yet. There is no 'let-up' anywhere in the business improvement."

THE Buffalo Express, a historical republican paper, says: "These are hopeful times for the wretched workers in the slop clothing trade in New York. Another section of the victims have just won their strike for a fairer agreement with their employers." But, remarks the Chicago Chronicle, the sweatshop workers never gained a strike under the McKinley tariff. Wages were reduced and strikes were defeated. Under the democratic tariff, either by voluntary advances on the part of employers or by enforced demands on the part of employees, there are numerous real increases in wages.

THE effort of a few of our enterprising farmers, horticulturists and dairymen to get up an exhibit of the products of their skill and energy should receive the hearty encouragement of everybody in the city. Much of Sedalia's trade comes from the farmers of this and adjoining counties, and the business men of this city will take a lively interest in any enterprise that may be undertaken for the pleasure or profit of those who till the soil and furnish so large a share of our exports. The DEMOCRAT regrets that steps were not taken in time to hold a regular old-fashioned agricultural fair, but, as this was not done, the proposed exposition is the next best thing to do. This paper cheerfully tenders the use of its columns to make the movement a success, hoping that it may be the initial step to the formation of a fair association.

THERE is a great deal of truth in the following remark made by the Republic in reply to a suggestion of a coalition between the democratic and populist parties: "The democratic party is not hopelessly divided on the silver question. The Republic has buckled down to proving that the cohesive properties of democrats are no more than their pugnacious qualities impaired by anything that has happened since 1892. The pugnacity is somewhat more in evidence now, but that does not signify. The democratic party can adopt a bimetallic platform, nominate a western man, elect him, open the mints to silver, continue tariff reform, constitutionalize the income tax, reconstruct the civil service absurdity, put democrats in the offices and drive subsidy hunters from the lobby—and all in ten years less than it would take them to get on their feet again after a coalition with Tellerism."

**"Gil" Won His Game.**

Independence and Coffeyville played a close and exciting game of baseball at Independence yesterday, which was won by the visitors by a score of 8 to 7. Batteries—Independence: Darby and Buckhart; Coffeyville: Gilpatrick and Warner. McFadden, Coffeyville's first baseman, received a telegram last night from St. Louis telling him to report there at once and play first base for the Browns.

**His Farm For Sale.**

Colonel Thomas F. Houston, of Houstonia, has an advertisement in Tuesday's issue of the National Live Stock Reporter, St. Louis, offering his farm of 1080 acres for sale, part cash, part on time, to suit the purchaser. He also offers 10,000 bushels of corn in the crib, a carload of one and two year old Galloway and Shorthorn bulls, and two carloads of Galloway cows and heifers.

**Another Player Signed.**

A ball player named Andrews, late of the Southern league, has been signed by Manager Roe, and will play an infield position against Webb City Wednesday.—Sedalia Gazette. The Andrews referred to above is Wm. Andrews, of the Elliott team, says the Moberly Democrat. He will play short for the "Future Capitals" and will strengthen the team.

**Mr. Heard on His Way Home.**

Ex-Congressman John T. Heard left Washington for Missouri yesterday afternoon. He has been spending the summer at Atlantic City, recovering from the effects of his severe illness of last winter.

**Will Remove to a New Place.**

Percy Knapp, who has been with Myers' pharmacy since he took it from O. M. Brooks, will go to Mertz & Hale's Monday.

**WOOD'S OPERA HOUSE.****THE SCHOOL BOARD.**

What Was Done at Last Evening's Meeting.

**ONE SCHOOL WAS CLOSED.**

A Couple of Contracts Awarded—Assignment of Teachers—The Proceedings.

At a meeting of the Sedalia school board, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon, it was decided to discontinue the colored school at Twentieth and Ohio streets because of the small attendance.

It was decided to ask the council to pass an ordinance abating as nuisances all pig pens and cow stables within a block of a school house.

A resolution was adopted which will prevent any child attending school in case he or she has not been successfully vaccinated.

Joseph E. Hillis was awarded the contract for furnishing the Venetian blinds for the new high school building.

E. E. McClellan was awarded the contract for furnishing the public schools with stationery and school supplies for the year 1895-96.

The following transfers and promotions were ordered:

Miss Lucille Hill was transferred from Summit school to Broadway.

Miss Agnes Wittstock was assigned to Broadway as a pupil teacher.

Miss Rose Rogers was transferred from Summit annex to Summit school.

Miss Maude Matheny was assigned to Prospect school as pupil teacher.

Miss Ethel McCluney was transferred from Broadway to Franklin school to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Miss Thomas.

Miss Alida Norton was promoted from pupil teacher and assigned to take charge of the third grade in the Broadway school.

Miss Lillian Montgomery was elected pupil teacher and assigned to Franklin school.

Misses Clara Belle Wilson, Verna Blythe and Carrie Slack were elected supernumary teachers and will be elected as pupil teachers as vacancies occur, in the order named.

The following assignments of teachers were made for the year:

High school.—J. D. Wilson, principal; Mattie M. Letts, Ina A. Milroy, Myrtle V. Whitney, Laura Yeater and Xenophon P. Willey.

Broadway.—Jas. L. Green, principal; Susan Green, Hattie Van Antwerp, Lapette Dugan, Clara L. Stryker, Lida Burrell, Lillian Sharp, Nettie D. Leaming, Cameron Garrett, Alida Norton, Lucile Hill, Harriett Hammond, Beatrice Selah, Mrs. Phebe J. Wilcox and Agnes Wittstock.

Summit.—Susan Kernodle, principal; Evelyn Jump, Laura McCluney, Lilly A. Berry, Eunice Cousley, Rose Rogers, Mary Dobel, Mamie C. Wilson, Jessie B. Wana-maker, Eva Hauptley and Bessie Shipley.

Prospect.—Hattie Gold, principal; Phebe C. Randall, Carrie A. Bagby, Ida Barley, Eliza Nickles, Hattie Russell, Floy E. Jackson, Birdie B. Shaffer and Maud Matheny.

Lincoln.—J. H. Jenkins, principal; Rosalind Reid, H. N. Jenkins, Charity Coleman, Matilda Nelson, Suzie V. Price, Flora Wright, Mildred Walker and Birdie Ferguson.

Northeast school.—Emma Stosberg, principal; Berta Spicer, Mattie Arey, Jennie Keiser and Allie Hunnicke.

Franklin.—Mary F. Logan, principal; Ethel McCluney, Anna Johnson, Ruth Leaming and Lydia Montgomery.

Southeast.—Mary K. Brigham, principal; Isa M. Norton, Laura E. Tucker and Anna Heise.

Southeast Sedalia.—Ella M. Gentry, principal, and Ella A. Cousley, East Primary.—Cattie Hughes, principal, and Minnie D. Raymond.

**For Sale Very Cheap.**

A good horse for ladies or children to drive, or will trade for a larger horse and pay difference. Call at 305 Ohio street.

**What Ike Thinks About It.**

Ike Mitchell, a former Sedalian, who has been working in the offices of the Texas and Pacific at Dallas, says the people at that place are all torn up over the coming battle be-

**School Books.**

Slates, Sponges, Tablets, Book Satchels, Rulers, Drawing Pencils, Map Paper, every thing used in school. We give

**Exact Change.**

To the cent, charging the Missouri contract price for books.

Plenty of Polite Clerks.

**DEXTER'S BOOK STORE.**

109 EAST SECOND ST., SEDALIA.

**The**

Negligee shirt,  
White ruffled skirt,  
The bosoms embroidered or pleat,  
The waists with large sleeves,  
Or delicate weaves—  
We launder them handsome and neat.

BOWMAN & DORN,  
205-207 East Third St.

**An Old Drug Store**

And a New Proprietor is a good

**Compound**

All the old bottles filled with new, fresh drugs. A new line of Perfumeries.  
Prescriptions filled with care and good judgment.

J. L. KAUTZMAN,  
104 WEST MAIN STREET.

**Sedalia School of Music,**

218 West Seventh Street.

This institution begins its regular course of instruction for the session of '95 and '96 on Monday, September 24. The course embraces instruction on piano, organ, guitar, in voice culture, harmony and history of music. For thoroughness and absolute safety of our methods we challenge successful competition. A limited number of pupils can be accommodated in the school residence, where the advantages of a musical library and superior instruments for practice will assist very materially in the advancement of the student. Those desiring a special course in this most necessary accomplishment are cordially invited to confer with the director.

Miss Lizzie Lee Warren.

THEO. H. FISHER. MINNIE LEE FISHER.

**Fisher Printing Co.**

If you are particular about your printing, better get us to do it. If it makes no difference how it's done, there are other printers who could probably suit you as well.

319 Ohio St.

**ALAMO BARBER SHOP****PRICE LIST.**

Children's Hair Cutting ..... 15c  
First-Class Bath ..... 15c  
Shampooing ..... 15c

—AT THE—

ALAMO BARBER SHOP, 112 West Third St.  
H. MILLER, Proprietor.

tween Corbett and Fitzsimmons, and that the sporting people there are of the opinion that Fitzsimmons will win the fight.

**A Correct Statement.**

To the Editor of the DEMOCRAT.

Your statement that the cause of the lights not burning Monday night was a mishap at the Broadway plant was not correct. It was caused by the limb of a tree on East Broadway breaking and pulling on the wires, twisting them together, causing a short circuit, which we could not fix at the time, owing to the storm.

C. CARROLL, Supt.

**Married Last Night.**

T. L. Byers and Mrs. Lydia M. Schofield, both of Clinton, were married by Rev. J. B. Fuller, pastor of the First Baptist church, last night. The couple tarried over night at Kaiser's and left for home this morning.

**Wanted.**

A white girl to cook and do general housework for a small family with no children. Permanent employment and good wages will be given to a competent person. Apply at 501 West Broadway, after Thursday morning, Aug. 22.

**Allowances for Clerk Hire.**

Allowances for clerk hire have been made by the postoffice department as follows:

Sedalia, \$4,000; Warrensburg, \$900; Clinton, \$1,500; Marshall, \$900; Nevada, \$1,600; Kirksville, \$1,000.

**THE JERSEY DAIRY**

For first class pure milk and cream and prompt delivery.  
J. GRIESEN, Prop.

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THE PRETTIEST LINES OF

Fall Suits

FOR MEN AND BOYS.

The prettiest All Silk New Ties.

The prettiest lines of Fall Hats that ever fell out of the heavens are open for you at Blairs'. It will give peace to your soul in advance to come and see some cutting that gives style to a coat. The price? 2 to 4 dollars less than anybody has the same goods. Come where the goods have been bought for cash they are cheaper to you.

—GO TO—

Blairs'

Now Open for Business.

Western Pacific Tea Co.

Having leased the J. D. Hail room for a term of three years and fitted it up in good style and stocked it with the

Finest and Best selected stock of Teas and Coffees

Ever brought to Sedalia, we are now prepared to supply the people of Sedalia and surrounding country with Teas and Coffees of the very finest quality, and at prices that will astonish them for cheapness. To every purchaser of \$1.00 worth of Tea, or \$2.00 worth of Coffee, or a 50c can of Cook's Friend Baking Powder, we will give

A Beautiful Present.

When the full amount is not purchased at one time checks will be given to represent the amount purchased. We will also carry a full line of

Spices, Flavoring Extracts, Cocoa, Chocolate, &c.

Thousands of presents on hand to select from.

Goods will be sold for CASH ONLY, and Delivered to any part of the city.

Western Pacific Tea Co.

506 OHIO ST., SEDALIA, MO.

The Room formerly occupied by J. D. Hail Dry Goods Co.

## RAILROAD RUMBLE.

The Line from El Dorado to Connect With the "Katy."

## THE RAILWAY CANINE.

Items of Interest Picked Up From Various Sources for the Benefit of "Democrat" Readers.

The citizens of Walker, Vernon county, held a railroad mass meeting Tuesday morning, when most of the property owners were present and all seemed enthusiastically in earnest.

The meeting was organized by the election of Oliver Crom as chairman and Lee Hays as secretary. A committee of three gentlemen from Eldorado Springs and another gentleman constituted the committee. They stated to the Walker citizens that El Dorado was in dead earnest about having railroad connection with the outside world—that a bonus of \$12,000 had been raised and that this money was ready for the man who first built the road, whether it was Col. McPherson, Col. Ed. Brown or plain Mr. Somebody else.

They also stated that the matter of a western terminus for the line had narrowed down to Schell City and Walker—that Harwood was no longer considered an eligible terminus, for the reason that a line to that point would cross the sections diagonally, thus cutting the farms and making the cost of right of way out of all reason. By coming to Schell or to Walker the line would run mostly along section lines.

Mr. Hays, who was in the city Tuesday, stated that the people of Walker would be expected to raise \$3,500 or \$4,000, and that it would be readily secured. A committee is already at work and will soon be able to report. "The fact is," said he, "we want that road and we are going to have it."

## The Railway Dog.

"Owney," the postal clerk's famous dog, which has been in Sedalia several times and over the United States, sailed Sunday for a rip around the world from Tacoma. Early in July Owney went to Tacoma and made a trip to Alaska. Returning he inspected a China teamer dock and seemed very interested in it. Assistant Postmaster Stockings made arrangements for him to go around the world. He will go to Hong Kong in the Northern Pacific steamer Victoria as the guest of Capt. John Anton. The captain will put him aboard an English steamer bound for London, via India and Suez. Owney will thence be sent to New York and back to Tacoma.

Owney is now fifteen years old. He started traveling from Albany, N. Y., many years ago. A postal clerk took a fancy to him and put out his neck a tag bearing the inscription, "Be kind to Owney." Ever since then he has been traveling with postal clerks. He is now fat and lazy, and will probably die eventually of over-feeding, as the clerks vie with each other in taking good care of him.

## Hospital Report.

The following patients were admitted to the M., K. & T. hospital this morning: David Yancey, assistant attorney, Iscogee, I. T., intermittent fever. J. Kelton, clerk, Denison, ulcer leg. Thomas Jackson, colored, section foreman, Emery, Texas, intermittent fever. H. Robinson, colored, extra gang, Denison, intermittent fever. M. McBride, section laborer, Ames, I. T., intermittent fever. A. V. Burke, section laborer, Denison, fever. L. L. Fane, switchman, Denison, king for Foreman G. F. Fane, amputation of end of right index finger and laceration of end of right ring finger. John Kelly, section laborer, Atoka, intermittent fever. J. Finnell, section foreman, Cole, I., intermittent fever and bronchitis.

## Making Good Time.

The "fantail" locomotive now running between Franklin Junction and Parsons seems to be meeting expectations of the motive department of the company. It has eloped a remarkable speed, having easily taken the Knights Templar special train of heavy sleepers at sixty miles an hour over the top of the road. Its ability to get to the rail, the one thing

feared at first, has been fully demonstrated. Mr. O'Herin is arranging to have a train of twelve cars run to test its pulling power.

## Initiated New Members.

Lodge No. 49 of the Switchmen's Union, recently organized here, held a meeting in Hoffman's hall, on East Fifth street, last evening, and initiated two new members. The lodge has now a membership of about twenty-five and the interest is still lively.

## Fence Gang at Work.

Charlie Scow, foreman of the fence gang at the M., K. & T. shops, resumed work this morning on a high board fence around the company's grounds at Broadway and Hancock streets. The entire lot is to be so enclosed.

## Coach, Cab and Caboose.

The new depot at Franklin Junction will be ready for occupancy by the first of next month.

Missouri Pacific pay car No. 251, Walter Kent's, was deadheaded east on train No. 6 this forenoon.

A. B. Thurston, resident engineer of the M., K. & T., arrived from the south on the morning train.

Samuel Irvin, superintendent of car department for the M., K. & T., left last night for St. Louis.

Frank Motz, the Missouri Pacific fireman, and family leave tonight for St. Louis to reside permanently.

Edwin Adams, traveling freight agent for the Missouri, Kansas and Texas, passed through the city this morning, on his way home from St. Louis to Parsons.

O. E. Parsons, a former "Katy" conductor, but who has been farming "back east" for a few years, went out as a brakeman on the M., K. & T. yesterday.

Engineer Frank Drayer took Missouri Pacific engine No. 268 out on train No. 6 without air this morning, with the understanding that another engine was to be furnished on arrival at Smithton.

Engineer James Roach, who has been confined at home for a week with a severe attack of cholera morbus, will resume his run between Franklin Junction and Parsons tomorrow. He will go over to Franklin tonight.

## FOOD FOR THE FANS.

He couldn't tell a base hit. From a hunk of blackberry pie. And he couldn't keep a tally. If he had to score or die. He didn't know a contest. From a game of "double scrub." But he knew—oh, he was certain—He could run a winning club.

## HE HAD NO LICENSE.

First Conviction of a Patent Medicine Man Under the Yeater Act.

The first conviction of a traveling vender of patent medicines for failure to take out a license, as required under the Yeater University free scholarship act, took place in Columbia yesterday.

Dr. Kreymborg, representing the Indian Sagwa remedies, was arrested for selling without a license, and, pleading guilty, was fined \$25 and costs.

Under section 3 of Senator Chas. E. Yeator's act, passed by the last Missouri general assembly, the fine goes to the State University scholarship fund. The income from this fund is to be collected annually, one-fourth to be added to the principal, and the remaining three-fourths to be appropriated for establishing and maintaining free scholarships in the State University. Each county in the state will have such a fund, and students from the various counties will have the benefits thereof. It promises in the course of a few years to become of large proportions.

## Will Resume Tomorrow.

Work on the artesian well at Forest park will be resumed tomorrow, when the contract for a depth of 1,000 feet will be pushed to completion. If a flow of water is not struck at that depth or sooner it is the intention of the promoters of the enterprise to go on down at least 1,500 feet, and may be 2,000. Mr. Martin has made such changes in the machinery as will largely tend to prevent the possibility of accidents.

## Struck by Lightning.

A large chicken house at Parsons was struck by lightning during a storm yesterday and totally consumed by fire. Jim Robb says he likes roast chicken, but doesn't believe in cooking by electricity on so large a scale.

## Dr. A. J. Tucker

The Oculist will remain in Sedalia until September 1st, only. Anyone wishing to have their eyes treated must call before Sept. 1st. Rooms 303 and 304 Hoffman building.

Be sure and see Chas. Carroll, of the Electric railway, before buying electric fans and motors, as it will be to your advantage.

## A VALUABLE PRIZE.

The Americanized Encyclopedia Britannica Free.

## THE DEMOCRAT'S PRESENT.

It Is For the Best Guess As to Advertising—Five Dollars in Gold For Second Prize.

There is no more important matter in a newspaper than the advertisements, nor is there any department that will more richly repay close study.

To stimulate interest in such advertisements as appear in this paper the DEMOCRAT has concluded to offer a valuable prize, consisting of a full set of the elegantly bound AMERICANIZED ENCYCLOPEDIA BRITANNICA to the person who files the first correct guess as to the number of advertisements, display and local, that will appear in the DEMOCRAT of Sunday, September 8th.

Also FIVE DOLLARS IN GOLD for the second correct guess received.

In case no correct guess is filed, the prizes go for the nearest correct guess and the second best.

Guesses may be filed at the business office of the DEMOCRAT at any time until 7 o'clock Saturday evening, September 7.

In order to win these prizes study carefully the advertisements in today's DEMOCRAT. Then watch for next Sunday's paper and go over the advertising columns carefully and estimate the probable increase that will appear on Sunday, the 8th of September.

This encyclopedia can be seen in the window of the DEMOCRAT office. Either style of binding may be selected. It is a whole library in itself and is well worth striving for.

If your neighbor does not read the DEMOCRAT tell him of this offer.

## CHARGES OF CRUELTY.

An Ugly State of Affairs Reported in Cole County.

Ex Policeman Jos. Meyers, who was severely injured several years ago in the discharge of his duty as a city policeman, and has since been an inmate of the county almshouse, yesterday filed complaint before Judge Geo. Elson, of the county court, alleging mistreatment at the hands of Geo. Gilber, superintendent of the poor farm, say the Jefferson City Tribune.

He is now in the city and will file a similar complaint with Judge Henry J. Dulle. Mr. Meyers says he was locked up on several occasions in a cell for twenty-four hours without any provocation whatever, any otherwise mistreated.

The county court will certainly look into this charge and take such action as may be necessary. The poor farm is not a prison, by any means. The county court is composed of men of such well-known integrity that it may be assumed in advance that no tyranny of any sort over the unfortunate inmates of the poor farm will be tolerated.

## Will Study Methods.

Thomas Seddon, public librarian, hopes to go to St. Louis Saturday and spend a day or two in the libraries there, studying methods of handling large crowds, and anything else that may be of help to him here. The library has grown in interest at a remarkable rate since it became a city charge, and free to all the people, and Mr. Seddon finds the old methods rather slow.

## A \$300 Damage Suit.

Theo. Lacaff left this afternoon for Sedalia, where there is a damage suit against him, says the Nevada Mail. A workman employed upon the new school building got full and fell, receiving injuries for which he wants \$300 as a salvage. Mr. Lacaff expects to leave for Boston Saturday, to attend the Knights Templar conclave.

## Coffeyville-Player on Trial.

McFadden, an amateur first baseman from Coffeyville, Kas., will be given a trial with the St. Louis league club within a few days, and President Von der Ahe believes he has captured a treasure. McFadden

is the man who is so strongly recommended by Dick Cooley, who says he is not only a better batter, but a better base runner than Dick himself.

## NOT A BEAUTY.

Gushing Reporters Should Give Della Oxley a Rest.

Several exchanges, in noting the fact that Della Oxley, the female horsethief, has been discharged from the penitentiary, refer to her as something of a belle from a bandit standpoint of view, says the Jefferson City Tribune.

It is to be regretted that such romantic sentiment must be contradicted, but the truth of the matter is Della is far from beautiful and she would lack considerable of making an ideal Trilby.

She can doubtless chew plug tobacco and curse with as much freedom as a steamboat mate. It is to be hoped Della will reform. She certainly needs reformation spelled with a big "R."

Mr. C. G. Strong, principal of the public schools at Anderson, Cal., says: "I have used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have found it an excellent remedy for lameness and slight wounds."

Lameness usually results from a sprain, or other injury, or from rheumatism, for which Chamberlain's Pain Balm is especially intended and unequalled. It affords almost immediate relief and in a short time effects a permanent cure.

For sale by P. E. Ott, W. E. Bard, A. T. Fleischmann, Servant's Pharmacy, M. T. Miles, A. S. McGowan, Mertz & Hale, O. W. Smith, J. R. Myers, T. J. Fletcher, H. W. Wood, J. F. Stephens.

## How Sedalians Will Go.

Dr. Ira T. Bronson, W. A. Fast and Daniel Grow, the committee appointed by George R. Smith post, G. A. R., to arrange for rates to the national encampment at Louisville, Ky., have made their report. The Sedalia veterans will go over the Missouri Pacific and the "Air Line." The train will leave Sedalia at 12:25 a. m. on September 8 and will reach Louisville at 5:25 p. m. on that day. The fare for the round trip will be only \$11.15.

Memory is a little treacherous now and then, and causes one to forget some things worth remembering, unless one has an experience like that which came to Mr. D. E. East, Moffat's Creek, Va., who says "I had been suffering for years with a torpid liver and found no relief until I took Simmons Liver Regulator when I was entirely relieved of my troubles. I never intend being without Simmons Liver Regulator."

## Applications for Charters.

Applications for charters for camps of the Sons of Veterans were received at headquarters of Missouri division here this morning from Sulphur Springs, Ark., with fifteen names on the rolls, and Cuba, Mo., with twenty-four names.

Colenel Jaynes camp, Sons of Veterans, will hold its regular bi-weekly meeting tomorrow night.

## No Inquest Needed.

Coroner Gresham went to Lamonte yesterday and viewed the remains of the child of George English, found dead in bed at 5 o'clock a. m., but decided that an inquest was not necessary.

## Fuller Won Again.

At Independence, Iowa, yesterday, in the 3-minute pace for \$1,000 Sam C. Fuller's Rosalita won the second, third and fourth heats and the race, in a field of eight. Time—2:13 1/4, 2:10 1/4, 2:12, 2:13 1/4.

## Coming to Sedalia.

The Missouri Photographers' association, in session at Chillicothe, yesterday decided to hold the next annual meeting in Sedalia.

## Gilman Is At Independence.

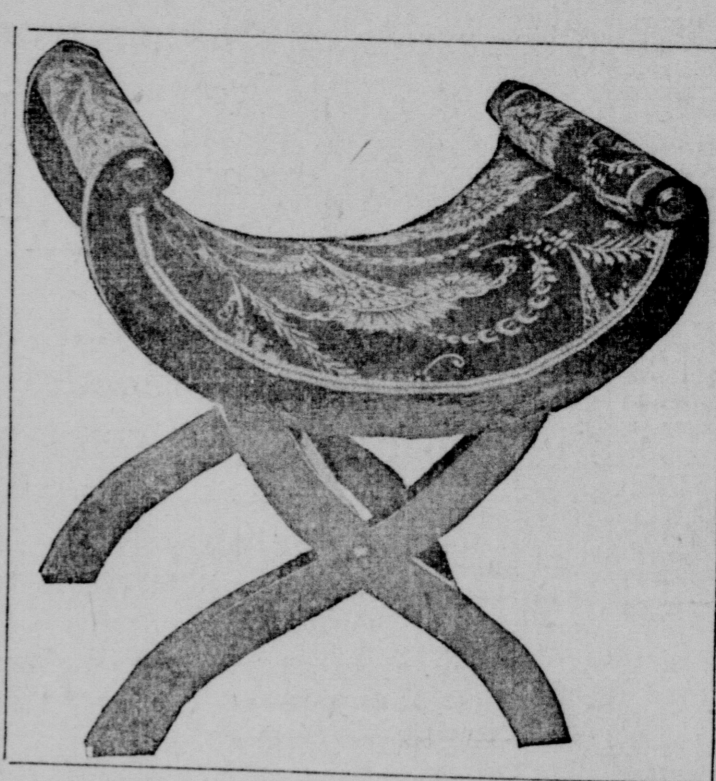
Sam F. Gilman is at Independence, Iowa, with his horses this week, but has not started either of them yet.

## CURES OTHERS

Mrs. MARTHA JANE PRINGLE, of Chase, Jackson Co., W. Va., writes: "Having been a great sufferer for many years with every disease my sex is heir to, I can now say I am well and hearty. Have done more hard work in the past year, and with more ease, than I have done for twelve years. Before consulting you I was the most wretched of women, unable to walk or sit up in bed, and now I owe my good health to Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. Golden Medical Discovery and Pellets. I gained twelve pounds while using the first bottle of 'Prescription.' I send you my picture together with my most heartfelt thanks. To any one suffering as I did who wants to know the particulars of my case and who will send a stamped envelope with name and address on, I will write particulars."

## WHY NOT YOU?

## Buy a Roman Chair.



NEAT NOVEL NEW

\$3.50

Upholstered in . . . Tapestry Brocatelle and Corduroy for \$3.50

New line Chamber Suits and Sideboards, Dining Chairs, Etc. Prices will please.

Undertakers. This department is large and very complete. All sizes Metallic Caskets carried in stock. Night clerk at store.

McLAUGHLIN BROS.,

Telephone No. 8. 515 Ohio Street.

## New York Cash Store

## MID-SUMMER CLEARING SALE

To make room for our large Fall Stock we will this week, commencing Monday, give big deductions in all departments

French Dimity, 10, now.....	6 1/2c a yard
English Dimity, 12 1/2, now.....	7 1/2c a yard
Fine Dimity, 15, now.....	10c a yard
White Crepe De Picardie, 10, now.....	6c a yard
Stripe Percales.....	5c a yard
Dark Challies.....	6c a yard
Turkey Red Calico.....	4c a yard
Bleached Muslin.....	4c a yard
Lonsdale Muslin.....	7 1/2c a yard
Lonsdale Cambric.....	10c a yard
Lace Curtains.....	25c each
Lace Curtains, better.....	38c each
Lace Curtains, longer and finer.....	75c each
Large White Bed Spreads.....	75c each
Ladies' Kid Oxford Patent Tip.....	75c a pair
Ladies' Opera Slippers.....	75c a pair
Ladies' White Oxfords.....	\$1.25 a pair
Ladies' Tan Oxfords.....	75c a pair
Ladies' Tan Sandals.....	75c a pair

Very Respectfully,

NEW YORK CASH STORE.

Store open from 7 a. m. to 9 p. m. 112 West Main Street.

## SMOKE :



James Corbett, Straight 10c Cigar. SULLIVAN & CO., Sole Agents. Sedalia National Bank Building.

Townesley's for Knives, Townesley's for Scissors, Townesley keeps the best brand of Razors; Townesley has Watches, Jewelry and Clocks—Call in and see them, the price is what talks.

TOWNSLEY, 503 Ohio Street.

## TO THE FRONT.

L. Bahner Becomes the Owner of Two Fine Meat Markets.

L. Bahner, the popular and well-known butcher, has purchased the Palace meat market at 703 Ohio street of Joseph Paradis & Co. and the Englebrecht market, at the corner of Pettis and Lamine streets, and will hereafter conduct both places.

Mr. Paradis will remain as the cutter at the Palace market, while Mr. Engelbrecht will act as purchasing and sales agent for both establishments.

Mr. Bahner has the reputation of a first-class butcher, and proposes to make the two stalls the finest in the city. He has announced the following scale of prices, taking effect at once:

No. 7 steak, 3 1/2 pounds.....	25c
Roast, 3 pounds.....	25c
Round steak, 3 pounds.....	25c
Lard, 3 pounds.....	25c
Six pounds boiling meat.....	25c
Pork, per pound.....	10c

Sale day every Saturday at the corner of Pettis and Lamine streets.

## Wanted.

An experienced, white nurse girl. Apply at 121 East Broadway.

## COME TO STAY!!!

We Want Your Attention at 207 Ohio Street.

We want your trade! We'll save you money! On you hardware! On your stoves! On your furnaces! On your tinware! On your repair work! On your tin roofing! On galvanized iron work! We lead in low prices! We are practical men! In this line of business! Specials for contractors! Come and see us!

MULFORD & Co. The Hardwaremen.

## Special Sale.

Frank B. Meyer & Bro. are having a special sale on gents' furnishing goods.

75c night shirts for 50c. 20c seamless socks for 10c. 50c neckties for 25c. 50 and 75c suspenders, slightly damaged, for 15c a pair. Negligee shirts, 25c. 10c handkerchiefs for 7c. Good quality undershirt, 25c.

## Special Notice.

I will make pants at my home, 317 West Seventh street, at \$1.50 per pair, or \$1.00 less than the standard price. Boys' knee pants, \$1.00. Satisfaction guaranteed.

LESLIE S. FARNHAM.

## For Rent.

Good pasture at Forest park and Brown Springs.

## Sedalia Democrat.

## RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

MISSOURI PACIFIC RAILWAY.			
Going East.		Going West.	
Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.
No. 6:10:25 a.m. 10:30 a.m.	No. 3:30 a.m. 3:17 a.m.	No. 2:12:45 p.m. 12:50 p.m.	No. 5:30 p.m. 3:25 p.m.
No. 4:4:10 p.m. 4:15 p.m.	No. 1:3:00 p.m. 3:05 p.m.	No. 8:12:20 a.m. 12:25 a.m.	No. 7:7:50 a.m. 5:5 a.m.
NOTE. O. 7, Fast Mail, will carry passengers to Warrensburg, Holden, Pleasant Hill and Kansas City, but will not carry baggage. Annual passes only will be good on No. 7.		Local Freight, 6:30 a.m.	

## LEXINGTON BRANCH.

No. 102 arrives 10:30 a.m. No. 103 departs 5:50 a.m.	No. 104 arrives 11:20 p.m. No. 101 departs 2:30 p.m.
No. 2:8:35 a.m. 8:55 a.m. No. 3:8:55 a.m. 9:15 a.m.	No. 198 Local Fri. 3 p.m. No. 197 Local Fri. 10:50 a.m.

## M., K. &amp; T.

Going North and East.		Going South.	
Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.	Arrive. Depart.
No. 8:35 a.m. 8:55 a.m. No. 3:8:55 a.m. 9:15 a.m.	No. 4:4:10 p.m. 7:00 p.m. No. 17:00 p.m. 7:20 p.m.		

## PERSONAL.

Sip Servant's soda.

Leslie Courtney left last night for St. Louis.

R. W. Griffith went to Boonville this morning.

Wesley Darden left this forenoon for St. Louis.

Cord Lujin visited his farm near Smithton today.

Rev. Fr. Peter Schirack left last night for Montrose.

Miss Clara Maroney is the guest of Mrs. R. F. Davis at Nevada.

Sol Kingsbaker went out on the Lexington branch this forenoon.

Wm. Slagle and daughter, Miss Loreta, left last night for Dallas.

Frank Kaler and his mother and sister left for Cole Camp this morning.

Col. T. P. Hoy and John W. Burress left this morning for Higginsville.

Colonel W. A. Fast will leave tonight for Ottumwa, Iowa, on a business trip.

Mrs. L. N. Gould left last evening for a visit with friends in New York state.

John Brandt returned last evening from a visit with friends at Pleasant Green.

Misses Maude and May Ramsey are expected home from Pleasant Green on Friday.

F. H. Noftsker, of Sedalia, was registered at the Auditorium, Chicago, yesterday.

Mrs. J. D. Sicher and son, Willie, came home last evening from a visit at Alton, Ill.

Mrs. Deloss McComas came in from Hannibal last night and will return this evening.

Mrs. T. G. Price and young son have returned from a pleasant stay at McAllister Springs.

Seymour Mayer left at noon today for St. Louis, to work in the Missouri Pacific offices.

G. J. Dodd, assistant claim agent for the Missouri Pacific, went to Tipton this afternoon.

Oscar Ott came in from Houston this morning and went east on Missouri Pacific train No. 6.

Fred Goddard, son of Conductor S. M. Goddard, of the Lexington branch, is spending the day here.

Judge Z. F. Bailey went to Kansas City yesterday afternoon in the interest of "Missouri on Wheels."

W. F. Logan, manager of the Postal Telegraph company, returned this morning from a business trip to St. Louis.

Frank Hyatt, of Latham, Moniteau county, who has been visiting his brother, John, here, returned home today.

Dodie, the pretty little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Weller, left last evening for a visit with friends in Kansas City.

Theo. Lacaff is a citizen worth having. He came down from Sedalia to vote for the electric proposition.—Nevada Post.

O. A. Crandall, president of the Missouri Trust company, went to Kansas City this morning, on business for the company.

J. Reed Miller, of Tipton, was in the city last night, exhibiting splendid specimens of zinc from a mine in which he is interested.

Miss Haynes, of Boonville, who has been the guest of little Miss Margaret Sneed for a few days, returned home this morning.

Miss Florence Harker, of the Missouri Trust company, left this morning for Osawatomie, Kas., to visit her brother, who resides there.

Johnson Orr, Sedalia's oldest citizen, he being 93 years of age, will leave shortly for Pittsburg, Pa., where he expects to reside in future.

Dr. John P. Allen and bride, formerly Miss Guihen, arrived from Knobnoster yesterday afternoon and are the guests of H. V. Knaus and family.

Misses Katie and Dollie McConnell, of St. Louis, are the guests of the family of their uncle, Mr. L. F. Fessenden, at 514 West Seventh street.

Mr. N. A. Jamison, manager of the Missouri Real Estate Journal, published at Sedalia, is in the city today. He formerly ran the Nor-

14,000 YARDS  
Standard Dress Calicos  
Yard.

## The Opportunity

OF A LIFE TIME!

Thousands of Dollars worth of Summer Dress Goods bought at Extremely Low Prices to be Almost Given Away during the Greatest

## .. CLEARING -:- SALE ..

Ever conducted in Central Missouri. Remember, everything in Summer Goods must go out of the store this month to make room for our New Fall Purchases. Read carefully the list of bargains, and come prepared to find the best values ever granted in this section.

Wash Fabrics	Wool Challies	Men's Furnishings
An Absolute Slaughter of Everything Throughout the Entire Line.	At Clearing Sale Prices.	
5c Fifteen pieces Choice Dress Gingham would be considered good value at 10c, Clearing Sale price, 5c.	10c A beautiful assortment of Wool Challies worth 25c a yard; the grandest value ever shown in this city at 10c a yard.	50c Ten dozen Men's Night Shirts worth 75c the Clearing Sale price only 50c
7 1/2c All our 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c Wash Fabrics including the very best quality Ducks, Crepe Grenadines, Dimities, Lawns, Flannelettes Etc., can be procured during this Clearing Sale for 7 1/2c a yard.	25c A choice line of Imported Challies worth 75c, to be closed out during this sale at 25c a yard.	25c Men's good quality Ribbed Under Vests, we reduce them one half—Clearing price 25c.
Worth 5c, Now 3 1-2.	Table Linens.	8 1/2c Men's Fast Black Hose worth 10c to be closed out during the Clearing Sale at 8 1/2c a pair.
3 1/2c Fourteen Hundred yards Standard Dress Calicos, Choice Styles. These Calicos were manufactured to sell at 5c; by closing out the entire lot we are able to ticket them "Your Choice for 3 1/2c a yard."	A Big Cut Throughout the Entire Line.	48c Men's Negligee Shirts, extra good value at the Clearing Price 48c.
White Goods.	12 1/2c About eight pieces of genuine Turkey Red Table Linen, usual price 20c a yard; clearing sale price 12 1/2c a yard.	50c Men's linen bosom Unlaundered Shirts at the Clearing Sale for 50c.
Clearing prices on White Goods range from 5c up. Impossible owing to limited space to enumerate all. The best value in our opinion is the lot at 7 1/2c a yard. Just think of it! Your Choice of a beautiful line of 10c, 12 1/2c and 15c White Goods during the Clearing Sale for only 7 1/2c a yard.	37 1/2c A line of 50c and 60c Bleached, Half Bleached and Fancy Bordered Table Linens will go during the clearing sale at 37 1/2c a yard.	Parasols.
Counterpanes	4c All Linen Napkins now 4c, 5c, 10c and upwards, all at clearing sale prices.	We carry the largest assortment of Parasol and Umbrellas in the city at prices ranging from 75c up to \$10.00, all representing Big Clearance Sale values.
Get a Big Mark Down during the Clearing Sale.	Towels	98c Ladies' 26 inch Gloria Sun Umbrellas, good assortment of handles, usual price \$1.50 each—Sale price only 98c.
58c Three dozen full size Counterpanes, usual price 85c, Clearing Sale price only 58c.	More Leaders.	Finer grade Parasols and Umbrellas range in price \$1.25, \$1.35, \$1.50, \$2.00, \$3.50 and upward.
80c Fine quality Crochet Counterpanes a Counterpane not to be equalled elsewhere for less than \$1.25; clearing sale price 80c.	One lot Lace Pillow Shams worth double the clearing sale price, 25c a pair.	Remnants.
Our \$1.75 grade Counterpanes marked down to \$1.35.	All Silk Mitts to be closed out this week at 13c a pair.	Our unusually large trade this month has left us with a great accumulation of short lengths, odds and ends of stock which we will place on sale at prices that will insure their complete clearance by the close of the week.
The \$2.50 quality for \$1.75, and finer grades at correspondingly low prices.	Curtaons on spring rollers marked down to 12 1/2c.	On counter in our center aisles, ticketed in plain figures will be found Remnants of Table Linens and Towelings, Remnants of Muslins and Sheetings, Remnants of Wash Fabrics, Remnants of Laces and Embroideries, Remnants of Outings and Gingham, Remnants of Ribbons, in fact remnants from all departments of the house, at prices in many instances even less than cost.

The above list of prices will give you only a faint idea of the wonderful reductions made in all departments of the house. There are hundreds of bargains just like them.

FRANK B. MEYER & BRO.,  
GRAND CENTRAL,

304-306 OHIO STREET.

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## JOHNS &amp; LOONEY.

## Lumber, Laths, Shingles,

.. Building Material of all Kinds ..

Yards: Second and Moniteau.

Home Lumber Yard Stand.

borne Jeffersonian. He is here in the interest of his paper.—Moberly Monitor.

Miss Maria Carter, of East Broadway, returned Sunday from spending her vacation with her aunt, Mrs. N. T. McCauley, at Argentine, Kas.

Rolla Kirk Bryan, the Chautauqua "chalk talker," arrived from Clinton this morning and passed on to Pertle Springs, where has an engagement to speak.

Misses Emma and Dora Cochran, who have been the guests of the family of Edgar Holland for a couple of weeks, returned to their home at Humboldt, Kas., today.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Sullivan had as their guest yesterday Mr. Frank E. McNish, of the Joe Cawthorn company, he being an intimate friend of Mrs. Sullivan's brother, Mr. Chas. Queen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Snakley, of Kansas City, former Sedalians, arrived this afternoon from a visit at West Salem, O., and will remain for a short time before proceeding to their home at the Kaw's mouth.

## Some Big Potatoes.

W. J. Williams, who lives on the Wright farm, two and one-half miles south of town, brought in eight potatoes of the White Star variety today that weigh seven and one-fourth pounds, the largest one weighing one and one-fourth pounds. They were grown in two hills, with a number of smaller ones.

## Putting Up a New House.

C. D. Brown, the real estate hustler, yesterday began the erection of a six-room residence on the extreme east end of Broadway.

## Two Cases in Court.

In the police court this morning, Matt Long was fined \$5 for late hours and Chas. Ryan \$5 for drunkenness.

## Thief Sent to Jail.

John Rayman, a boy, pleaded guilty in Justice Burr's court to the theft of a laprobe and a lady's shawl, worth \$7.50, from W. S. Allen, and was sent to the county jail for sixty days. Officer John Jackson made the arrest. Rayman had sold the articles to a Main street secondhand dealer for five cents.

## Place of Meeting Changed.

The place of holding the colored people's mass meeting in the interest of capital removal, tomorrow night, has been changed from the Morgan Street Baptist church to the arbor at Johnson and Ohio streets.

## Death of a Child.

Madge Bailey Gould, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Al. Gould, of Rogers, Ark., well known in Sedalia, died Saturday, of malaria, at Carthage. She was about nine years of age.

## Omar's New Job.

Omar D. Thornton, son of J. L. Thornton, today joined the advertising brigade of the Walter L. Main shows, and will travel with the paste brigade the remainder of the season.

## Bond-Signers to Meet.

All who have signed the capital removal guarantee bond are requested to meet at J. H. Bothwell's office at 9:30 o'clock tomorrow morning.

## Not Expected to Live.

Martin G. Ingram is reported very low this afternoon, and death at any time would occasion no surprise.

"It is the best patent medicine in the world," is what Mr. E. M. Hartman, of Marquam, Oregon, says of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea remedy. "What leads me to make this assertion is from the fact that dysentery in its worst form was prevalent around here last summer and it never took over two or three doses of that remedy to effect a complete cure."

For sale by P. E. Ott, W. E. Bard, A. T. Fleischmann, Servant's Pharmacy, M. T. Miles, A. S. McGowan, Mertz & Hale, O. W. Smith, J. R. Myers, T. J. Fletcher, H. W. Wood, J. F. Stephens.

Telephone 218, the Candy Palace, for ice cold watermelon, corner Fifth and Ohio street.

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## Headaches,

Dizziness, Bloodshot Eyes, Eyes Hot and Inflamed.

Are You in any way subject to the above? Do your eyes trouble you in any way, and did you know that properly fitted glasses will give you relief, and save your eyes and keep them young? I make no charge for examination. Come and let me show you how much benefit a pair of properly fitted glasses will be. Come to-day.

A. L. DICKMAN, Graduate Optician.

At Dickman's jewelry store, sign "Big Specs," Third and Ohio streets.

## GETS HIS MEDAL.

The Gentlemen's Driving Club of Sedalia Does the Right Thing.

Ross G. Wilder this morning received notice that he had been adjudged the winner of the bicycle race during the encampment week and the medal would be sent him by the Gentlemen's Driving club on Saturday, says the Clinton Democrat of last evening.

The Democrat congratulates President J. P. Herrington, of the club, upon this manly course. Acting upon a suggestion emanating from Mr. Herrington, published in a Sedalia paper, Mr. Wilder on Sunday wrote him fully and frankly upon the matter, and showed him that any neglect to formally enter the race was due to the fact that he was assured by the judges that no such entry was necessary.

Mr. Herrington's prompt response will acquit him and his club of any part in that unfortunate fiasco which resulted in awarding the first medal to the third man in the race.

The Democrat is glad that it has been of service to Mr. Herrington in pointing out to him the act of gross injustice which was injuring the reputation of his club and his city. We have been severe because severe words were needed to bring the matter to a focus.

Such episodes come up between cities, and frank words and a clean settlement are better than rankling resentment and distrust.

Mr. Wilder will receive the congratulations of his friends upon the outcome. He would probably have let the matter drop had they permitted it, for although a hard worker he does not aspire to win by scheming and would rather suffer an injustice than be drawn into a quarrel. The Democrat has heartily made his fight for him and feels that to its efforts are largely due the tardy justice he has received.

## Died in Colorado.

Information has been received here of the death of Willis Rucker, son of Judge Rucker, formerly of Johnson county, at his home in Aspen, Col. The deceased was a cousin of George M. Pemberton, of this city.

## A Curator Appointed.

John R. Clopton, public administrator, was yesterday appointed guardian and curator for Anna F., Nellie Louise, Julia C. and Lucia M. Gibbs, minor heirs of Lucius H. Gibbs, deceased.

## Large Excursion Party.

The English Lutheran Sunday school excursionists filled seven narrow gauge cars to Cole Camp this morning, the party numbering about 400 all told. They will return by special train this afternoon.

## Wanted.

Bright young white boy for the position as wrapper. Apply in the morning, between 9 and 10 o'clock. ST. LOUIS CLOTHING CO.

## A Prisoner Released.

Ella Ross, sent to the county jail July 12 for contempt of court, from Justice Fisher's court, was released today.

## For Rent.

A pleasant room with board in private family. Apply at 311 East Fifth street.

## Bicycles for Rent or Sale.

Clark & Morrow, 122 West Third street. 'Phone 255.

SEE...

Geo. T. Menefee &amp; Sons,

Before you buy your

## WOOD AND COAL

Now is the time to lay in your winter supply, and you will save money by seeing us; also dealers in Corn, Oats, Hay and all kinds of Chop Feed.

'Phone 22.

112-114 Moniteau St.

## CEMENT.

Standard Hydraulic Cement.

For prices address Fort Scott Hydraulic Cement Company, P. O. Box 471, Fort Scott, Kansas, or Room 618, Mass. Building, Kansas City, Mo.

## KIRK.

Kirk's New and Wonderful Discovery.

After years of experiment Jas. S. Kirk & Co., of Chicago, the world wide known soap makers and chemists, have placed on the market their Rain Water Maker, perfect in every respect.

This wonderful preparation softens the hardest water instantly. It is prepared from the purest ingredients and contains no borax, lime, lye or any other injurious chemicals.

Flannels washed in water prepared with Rain Water Maker will positively not shrink; printed goods will not fade and all clothes will come out sweeter and cleaner.

Rain Water Maker saves the clothes, saves the soap, saves labor, saves time, money and trouble.

Rain Water Maker prevents blueing from curdling in water; it is also most valuable for toilet and bath and kitchen purposes.

Made only by Jas. S. Kirk & Co., Chicago. For sale by all grocers. Try a large one-pound box for 10 cents.

"I have used Kirk's Rain Water Maker and can testify that it does everything claimed for it."

MRS. BEATRICE DUNN.

316 East Tenth street.

## The Car Stops

At the corner of Fifth and Engineer streets, where you will find the best and cheapest stock of millinery and notions in the city. Mrs. John Divers and Miss Heed having purchased the stock of Mrs. Countz, they will endeavor to please the people by giving them the latest styles at the latest prices.

## Cheap Wood.

Stanley Coal company have 1,500 cords of first-class seasoned wood that must be sold in the next 30 days; will be sold at very low prices. See them. Telephone 26.

## Hogs on the St. Louis Market.

M. T. Henderson, of Houstonia, had a carload of hogs on the market at the National yards, St. Louis, yesterday.

## Mite Social.

Don't forget the Broadway Presbyterian church social Thursday night at Mr. and Mrs. Sprague's, corner Fifth and Lamine.

## Monday Night for Recruits.

The Sedalia Rifles have fixed Monday night as the time for receiving new recruits.

A good paying business for sale cheap for cash. Address "A," this office.

## COLUMBIAS!

You See Them Everywhere ..

The following ladies and gentlemen are riders of the superb Columbia Bicycle, and the number is rapidly increasing:

E. E. McClellan, J. T. Montgomery, Dr. H. W. Wood, Hon. J. H. Bothwell, A. C. Baldwin, Emmet McClure, E. A. Farmer, Emil Dorn, H. M. Haley, J. C. Cordes, E. A. Kroencke, E. Holtzen, John Lix, E. A. Rembaugh, Miss Huffman, J. T. Witcher, Miss Crandall, W. H. Hogg, Miss Rembaugh, B. S. Rembaugh, Miss Rohn, Geo. Ethridge, Miss Keller, Tom Donohue, Mrs. Wright, W. H. Reynolds.

We are advertised ..

By our enthusiastic friends. See them and you will buy a Columbia.

WILL H. REYNOLDS, Sedalia, Mo.

410 Ohio Street.

## Drink Soda

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## Popular Pleasure.

508 Ohio.

## A TRUE GHOST STORY.

The Strange and Gruesome Experience of a Death Watcher.

Corpse of an Epileptic Sits Up—"The Woman in White" Throws New Horror Upon the Situation—Explanation of the Phenomenon.

"I am not a believer in the supernatural," said a young man to a writer for the Louisville Courier-Journal, "but every time I see a copy of Wilkie Collins' novel: 'The Woman in White,' I get the creeps, for it recalls one of the most awful experiences in my life. I boarded in the southern portion of the city, at the home of a widow, in whose family was an interesting youth, about sixteen years old. He and I were exceedingly fond of one another, perhaps from the fact that he was afflicted with epilepsy, and I was the only person about the house who understood how to relieve him and was able to handle him without his hurting himself while in convulsions. He did not live very long after I knew him and died in my arms in one of his attacks. The incident I am speaking of occurred on one of the very coldest nights in January. He had died at noon and the family sat up with the corpse until midnight, when I relieved them in the watch, requesting all to retire, as I loved the boy so well I felt it my duty to stay near him in death. An hour passed and I picked up a copy of 'The Woman in White' to while away the somber watch. I drew near the fireplace and turned up the lamp a little higher, as the rest of the room was very dark and a window was raised back of the corpse on the cooling board. After all had gone to bed the realization of the somber situation obtruded itself upon me, and as I perused the novel its contents were not calculated to reassure me. I thought about everything possible, and for the first time in my life I began to quake with fear.

"I was in such a condition of mind that the dropping of a pin would have been noted at once, and the creaking of a piece of furniture or the swaying of a shutter would have sent terror through my heart. In this overwrought state of mind I heard a slight noise and turned toward the corpse, when, awful to relate, I saw my friend raise his hands, throw back the pall, and sit stark upright. The eyes, which had never been closed, looked searchingly about the room until they rested on me, the open mouth contracted, and the countenance took a distorted expression. Without pausing I dashed from the room into the dark corridors.

"When I reached my bedroom I fell in a swoon, which must have lasted several hours, for on awakening I saw the sun just tinging the eastern horizon. Finding myself on the floor with the novel clinched in my hand recalled the dreadful scene, and pulling myself up from the floor, I rang a call bell for a servant. The servant came and we descended to the parlor after I had told him what had happened. Yes, I had actually experienced that dreadful scene, for the corpse was found lying across the bed. We went over to it. The muscles were all relaxed and it appeared sleeping peacefully. It was laid back as it had been arranged by loving friends. As I could not explain the phenomena I had witnessed I went for the physician. He said the boy had been dead all the time, but that the muscles contracted during the fit had been released in my presence. We agreed not to tell the circumstance to the family, but it is true in every particular, and when I think of the awful scene, even in daytime, I am filled with terror.

"I have never gotten into 'The Woman in White' farther than three chapters, and I do not think now that I shall ever finish the story that is so intimately associated with this awful ghost story in real life."

## Mississippi Storage Reservoirs.

In order to hold water back in times of excessive abundance at the head of the Mississippi river, both on account of the damage which floods might do and the value to navigation of a supply in dry weather, a system of storage reservoirs was undertaken about fifteen years ago. There are now four at Lake Winnibigoshish, Leech lake, Pokegama falls and Pine river, and a fifth is in process of construction at Sandy Lake, Minn. Congress will be urged to extend this work so as to add irrigation to the other benefits thus secured.

## A Respectable Age.

Princess de Metternich the other day met a friend of former years in the Prater at Vienna who asked, with frank solicitude, after her health. "Oh, I am well enough," said the princess; "that is, for a woman of my age." "And what age may that be, princess?" "Fifty," was the reply, given without hesitation; "not much for a cathedral, but a very respectable age for a woman."

## THE LIONS ROARED.

They Recognized Their Old Friend and Were Overjoyed.

Considerable excitement was caused in the big zoo at Glen Island by an incident which demonstrated the memory and sagacity of a huge African lion and a lioness, says the New York Tribune. The beasts had been yawning before several thousand people, when something suddenly attracted their attention. They bounded against the bars of the cage as if in a vain attempt to gain their freedom, and at the same time let out a series of roars that could be heard half a mile away. The tigers in the adjoining cages became interested and added their roars and growls. In an instant every animal in the big zoo, and there are over 1,000 of them, had joined in the frightful chorus. The shrill bark of the hyenas and wolves was heard above the rest, and added actual terror to the scene. Finally the huge elephant Siam caught the fever and, holding his trunk high in the air, gave a roar that was plainly heard at the other side of the sound. The fawns and deers and the little baby zebu dashed into the sheds, trembling with fright, while the monkeys groveled with terror at the bottom of their cages. Walter Bannister, the keeper, and half a dozen assistants were at once on the scene to make an investigation. It puzzled them. There was no apparent cause for the excitement, yet the big lions continued their roars and bounded about the cage.

"Turn the hose on him; he's got mad," suggested one of the spectators, who said he knew all about lions, as he had read a book on animals in his boyhood. Things were becoming furious, when an elderly man forced his way through the crowd. "This is all my fault, sir," he said to Mr. Bannister. "My name is Tom Leroy, and I've handled lions all my life." As he spoke he stepped over the railing. Mr. Bannister at once recognized the name and made way for him. The man went close to the cage and thrust his two arms between the bars. The lions for a moment seemed frantic, then quieted down and began to lick the man's hands as the crowd fell back, expecting each moment to see the man injured.

He explained to Mr. Bannister that he had trained the lions to do many tricks years ago, and had traveled with them for several seasons. He had not seen them for several years, yet they recognized him the moment he came within sight of the cage, and made an uproar that was quieted as soon as he caressed them. The beasts had passed through several dealers' hands before coming to Glen Island, and it was not known that they were trick lions until Mr. Leroy informed Mr. Starin's representative.

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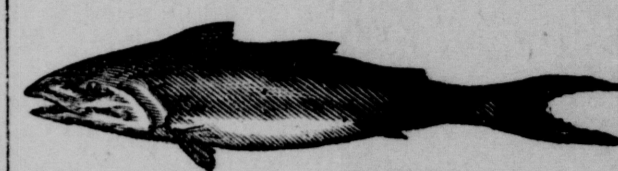
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## EX-CONFEDERATES.

The Annual Meeting at Higginsville Today.

## HOME FOR THE VETERANS.

The Executive Committee of the Confederate Home Association Meets Tomorrow.

A car load of St. Louisans passed through Sedalia this morning to be present today at the annual meeting of the ex-Confederate association of Missouri, at Higginsville, which will be followed tomorrow by a meeting of the executive committee of the Confederate Home association. The Higginsville Leader of yesterday says:

Missouri is the first state to build a confederate home entirely from personal contributions, and she has the finest home of them all. The problem now is to maintain this home, but the management, after receiving nearly \$100,000 from generous people within three years, has no fears for the future.

It was something like ten years ago that prominent confederate soldiers like Major John S. Mellow and Judge Thomas A. Portis began talking about a soldiers' home.

Finally the Southern Historical society, of St. Louis, appointed a committee in 1889 to secure a charter. The committee secured a charter and reported it to the annual reunion of confederate soldiers at Higginsville, August of that year. The first editorial advocating the establishment of a Confederate Home in Missouri appeared in the Leader, and this, with the friendly spirit toward the Confederate veterans engendered by frequent gatherings of soldiers of the place, went not a little way in the selection of Higginsville as the natural nursery of the institution. The Historical society turned the charter over to the Ex-Confederate association of Missouri, whose officers were elected to corresponding positions in the Home association. This association has a vice president in each congressional district, and this constitutes the executive committee of the home.

After working experimentally for one year \$10,000 was in the treasury. It was then resolved at the Nevada reunion in 1890 to proceed at once to build the home. By the following February some \$18,000 was on hand and bids for the location were solicited. The offers were numerous. A committee of six spent a week traveling over the state examining the various pieces of property offered.

The committee separated without any one member knowing the choice of another. Two days later the committee met in St. Louis and Higginsville was unanimously selected for the location of the home.

In March, 1891, the home farm of 373 acres was purchased of Grove Young for \$18,600 cash. There were two nine-room houses available. Contracts were immediately let for ten three-room cottages, and other buildings were soon filled with destitute soldiers and their families.

The liberality of the people of this grand old state was manifested by cash contributions of over \$70,000 in less than three years.

In the spring of 1891 Mrs. Cassidy, wife of Abner C. Cassidy, of St. Louis, conceived the idea of organizing the Daughters of the Confederacy. Her first move was to persuade that venerable old lady, Mrs. Margaret A. E. McLure, to accept the office of president. Mrs. McLure, then 80 years of age, finally consented to the use of her name, modestly insisting that Mrs. Cassidy would have to do all the hard work, as she was too old for active service. Those two ladies soon assembled about 200 prominent St. Louis ladies. The "Daughters" organized forthwith and began work in the faint hope of buying furniture for five of the cottages at the Home. Their success was phenomenal, and this encouraged the ladies of twenty-six counties and cities throughout the state to form societies. Most of these societies continue to work as auxiliaries to the St. Louis society, and the result of their first year's labor, as reported by the treasurer, Mrs. W. P. Howard, was: Net cash from St. Louis, \$6,767.63; cash from auxiliaries, \$4,850.22; total, \$11,618.06.

The greatest success of the year's work was a ball given on Thanksgiving evening by the St. Louis Daughters of the Confederacy, from which \$4,351.45 was realized. This was the most fashionable ball ever given in St. Louis. Thus encour-

aged, they agreed to pay for the erection and furnishing of the main building, which complete has cost \$28,200.

The Springfield camp of ex-confederates are chasing a false trail. The following article is clipped from the Springfield Republican. The parties therein assailed will stand investigation and those who know them have no fears that any such charges can be proven:

Two years ago the camp sent Jas. McManess to the Higginsville home. He only staid a few days and came back, telling fearful stories of the treatment accorded old soldiers at that institution. His story was taken with a grain of salt and nothing more thought of it.

Last February John R. Schell was sent by Campbell post to the home. Schell is now back in the city and tells a story almost as bad as that of McManess. He says that the management is entirely incapable; that Superintendent Cassell and the other officers with their "pets" are drunk most of the time and pay little or no attention to the condition of the inmates of the home. Since February, he says, there has been consumed three barrels of whiskey and the fourth one is ordered. Schell wore the same suit back to Springfield that he wore away. He says that Jos. O'Rourke, an old Stonewall man sent from here, is dying with paralysis.

These reports have prompted the camp to action, and Tuesday night W. H. Misemer moved that a committee of three be appointed to secure a sworn statement from J. R. Schell and James McManess relative to their treatment while at the confederate home at Higginsville, said statement to be placed in the hands of Dr. H. H. Boude, who is a delegate to the meeting of the Confederate State association, which convenes at Higginsville August 24. The motion was fully discussed, and all were indignant at the treatment received by the old soldiers and the motion carried unanimously. The committee appointed were N. Hawkins, J. E. Elliott and N. B. Hogan.

The committee arranged to get the affidavits this evening at the office of N. Hawkins, on North Jefferson street, and they will be presented by Dr. Boude, with instructions to work for the removal of the entire management, if the statements are substantiated. The feeling in Campbell camp is general that the home should be placed under the direct control of the Daughters of the Confederacy, and an effort will be made to have this done.

The following dispatch was sent out from Higginsville last night to the St. Louis Republic:

If the weather remains as favorable tomorrow as it has today there will be an extraordinary turnout of Lafayette county people at the state ex-confederate reunion to be held here.

Added to the visitors who will be here from all parts of the state, the assemblage promises to be one of the largest ever held. Arrangements have been made at the home to serve meals and lodging for quite a number.

Considerable beef is being barbecued tonight at the grounds. There have been many arrivals of ex-confederates during the day, and the hotel capacity of the town will be taxed.

Among those who arrived today are: Captain W. P. Barlow and Captain Henry Guibor, of St. Louis; Senator Cockrell, Judge Valliant, C. T. Davis and daughter, Captain J. L. Pace, Major Henry Newman and Sam Boyd. Rooms have been engaged by wire for General J. O. Shelby, of Kansas City, and St. Joseph parties.

Members of the St. Louis D. O. C. will arrive in special cars in the morning. Special train service has been secured for visitors from the west.

One night when Mr. Isaac Reese was stopping with me, says M. F. Hatch, a prominent merchant of Quartermaster, Washington, I heard him groaning. On going to his room I found him suffering from cramp colic. He was in such agony I feared he would die. I hastily gave him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea remedy. He was soon relieved and the first words he uttered were, "what was that stuff you gave me?" I informed him. A few days ago we were talking about his attack and he said he was never without that remedy now. I have used it in my family for several years. I know its worth and do not hesitate to recommend it to my friends and customers.

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## INSECT INTELLIGENCE.

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Wonderful are the discoveries of science in these days, but we could cheerfully dispense with many of them. In particular, the growing mass of evidence which suggests that organic life is always accompanied by some degree of intelligence rouses the most uncomfortable thoughts; for intelligence implies a crowd of sensations from which, as we hoped, the lower order of animals were free. That ants and bees and such like have some power of brain might be admitted without unpleasant consequences. No one, in the temperate zone at least, wants to harm them, unless provoked. But to hear that beetles and wasps, spiders and flies are suspected of feeling terror, pain, anxiety and such emotions, is very disconcerting to the kind-hearted. For they have always been treated as enemies of the human race, to be destroyed at sight. If the means of execution be cruel, that is seldom taken into account; and the very worst of it is that we must persevere in so treating them, whether they be intelligent or no—for, after all, the most of them act in a manner hostile to our comfort, though their intentions may be good.

Take wasps; who except a Buddhist does not kill them at every opportunity? The bona fides of the Theosophist will hardly stand the test. But Mr. Belt made some observations that startle our complacency. That delightful observer ranked wasps next to the higher classes of ants in point of intelligence, and he gives some instances. A specimen of Polistes carnifex was hunting in his Nicaraguan garden. Belt offered it a grub, which it promptly cut in two, left one-half in the midst of a leafy shrub and carried off the other. Before starting for the nest, however, it hovered over the spot and made small circles round, then larger ones, as if taking the bearings. When it had got under way even, it suddenly sped back and repeated these operations, as if upon reflection it did not feel sure that the place was quite fixed in its memory. Returning empty in due time the wasp described but one circle and flew like an arrow to the opening. But the leaf on which it had deposited its prey was obscured by another above, and the wasp, running in, soon lost itself among the foliage. It came out, circled round again, and descended—with a like result. Again and again this happened. Always it alighted in just the very same spot, after repeating its observations, buzzing more and more angrily, at length, by chance, it found the morsel, flew straight away, and did not return. As Belt says, a man seeking some object he had left behind would act in just the same way.—London Standard.

## Wanted a Sandwich.

One day a compositor entered the late J. M. Bailey's sanctum in the Danbury News office with a rueful countenance. "Mr. Bailey," he said, "I'm hungry, and have no money. Will you lend me ten cents for a sandwich?" "Certainly," replied Mr. Bailey, handing him a dime. Five minutes later another compositor approached him. "Will you let me have ten cents, Mr. Bailey, for a sandwich?" he asked. "With pleasure," answered Mr. Bailey. A third compositor entered the room. "Mr. Bailey," he said, "I'd like ten cents for a sandwich." "All right," said Mr. Bailey, cheerfully. A fourth and then a fifth man followed with similar requests. Finally another compositor stood before the editor. "Mr. Bailey," he said, "will you please let me have a dime for a drink?" Mr. Bailey looked at him in feigned amazement. "Why do you lie to me?" he asked, reproachfully; "I know, sir, what you want the money for. You want a sandwich!" The compositor collapsed. But he got the dime.—Argonaut.

## Extenuating Circumstances.

There was trouble in the coffee-complexioned young woman's eye as two policemen escorted her from the alley, says the Detroit Free Press. "What made you hit that girl?" asked one of the officers. "What made me hit 'er? I had er call'er hit 'er. Da's what made me hit 'er." "She wasn't doing anything. You were making all the trouble." "I had 'er right ter make de trouble. 'Twas her talk dat done made me smash 'er." "What did she say?" "She didn' say nuffin'. She jes' sinned." "Well," asked the officer impatiently, "what did she insinuate?" "'Twas 'bout ma new spring dress. She done axed me how I got de label offen de ham cover dat I sewed in fob sleeves. An' den I smashed 'er."



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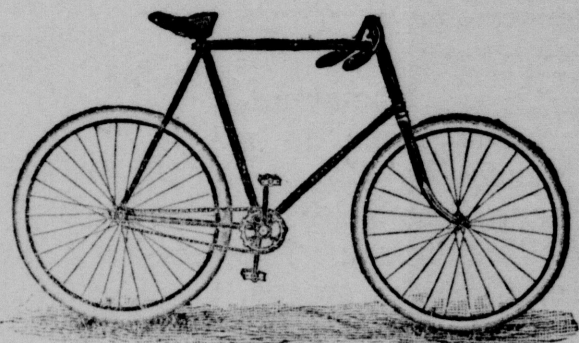
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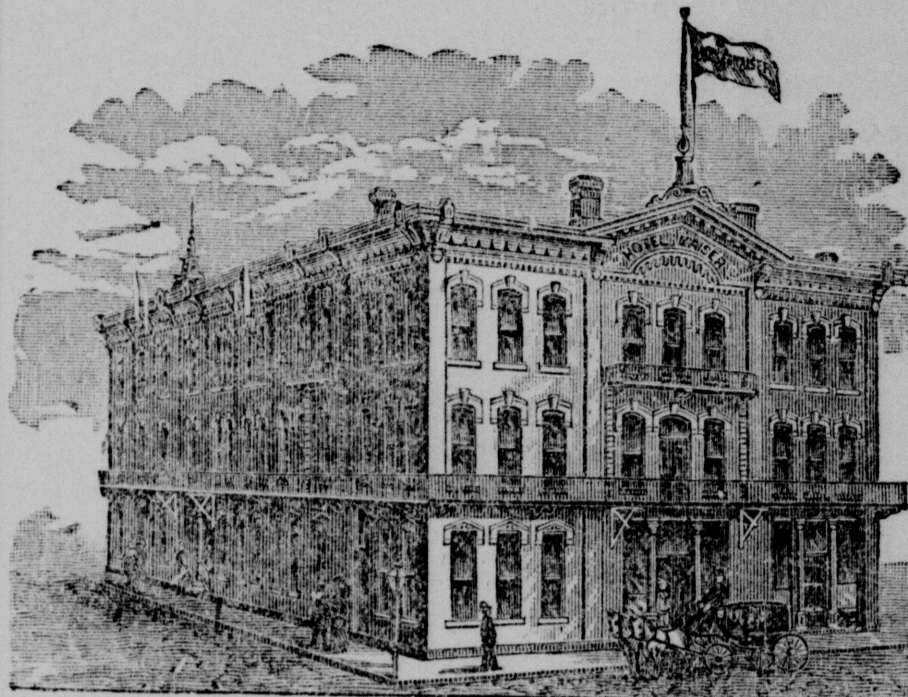
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